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RE: High Cost Support Certification

CC Docket No. 96-45 - ASTCA LEC

To the Filing Representatives:

Enclosed for filing is the High Cost Support Certification for the American Samoa Telecommunications Authority Local Exchange Carrier Division ("ASTCA LEC"), SAC 673900, required in conjunction with CC Docket No. 96-45, which has been executed by Governor Togiola T.A. Tulafono in his capacity as Telecommunications Regulatory Commissioner for American Samoa ("TRC").

In addition, as requested by the Universal Service Administrative Company ("USAC"), please find attached a list of eligible telecommunications carriers certified by the TRC pursuant to sections 54.313 and 54.314 of the FCC's rules (47 C.F.R. § § 54.313, 54.314). Listed beside each carrier is its assigned study area code.

Sincerely,

TOETASI FÜE TÜITELELEAPAGA

Chief Legal Counsel

Attachments

ELIGIBLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIERS TERRITORY OF AMERICAN SAMOA

Company Name	Study Area Code
American Samoa Telecommunications Authority Interexchange Carrier Division (ASTCA IXC)	679001
American Samoa Telecommunications Authority Local Exchange Carrier Division (ASTCA LEC)	673900
AST Telecom, LLC dba Blue Sky Communications	679000



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TELECOMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY COMMISSIONER CERTIFICATION BY REGULATORY AUTHORITY

I, Togiola T.A. Tulafono, hereby certify that I am the Governor of American Samoa, and that I am authorized to execute this certification as the Telecommunications Regulatory Commissioner of the Territory of American Samoa.

Furthermore, with reference to CC Docket no. 96-45, I hereby certify, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, that all federal high cost support received by the American Samoa Telecommunications Authority Local Exchange Carrier Division (ASTCA LEC), Study Area Code 673900, will be used only for the provision, maintenance, and updating of facilities and services for which the support is intended, consistent with 254(e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

TOGIOLA T.A. TYLAFONO

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 17 day of September, 200

MAKERITA F. IOSEFO
Commission No. ASN-051
Metary Public Territory of American Samoa
My commission expires: June 9, 2011
P.O. Box 7122, Pago Pago, Am. Samoa 96799

My commission expires: